FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 28, 1995

SUBJECT: **HB 378 - SB 1086**

This bill, if enacted, will direct the Department of Health to determine the feasibility of expanding the TennCare Program to include small employers who on the effective date of this act are providing insurance to its employees at a cost which on the average exceeds, by more than 50%, the cost employees of such businesses would be required to pay if such employees were included in the TennCare Program. The department shall report its findings to the legislature by February 1, 1996.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be minimal.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director